

# Nationals in Two Hard-Fought Contests; Lose First and Second Ends in Tie

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## BOSTON SUFFERS FOURTH DEFEAT

Pirates Make Clean Sweep of the Series.

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.**  
Pittsburg, 3; Boston, 2.  
Other Games—Rain.

**GAMES TO-DAY.**  
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.  
Chicago at Boston.  
Cincinnati at New York.  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

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## DROP FIRST GAME AND TIE WIND-UP

Nationals Play Great Ball, Despite the Scores.

**RECRUIT MOYER SHOWS FORM**

McAleer's Youngstown Find Twirls Opening Set-to and Save for Two Errors by Killer Would Have Scored Victory—Second Contest Proves a Battle Royal.

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.**  
Cleveland, 3; Washington, 2.  
(Eleven innings.)  
Cleveland, 0; Washington, 0.  
(Called on account of darkness.)  
Philadelphia, 3; Detroit, 3.  
St. Louis, 10; New York, 6.  
St. Louis, 3; New York, 0.  
Chicago, 2; Boston, 1.  
(Twelve innings.)

**GAMES TO-DAY.**  
Washington at Cleveland.  
Philadelphia at Detroit.  
Boston at Chicago.  
New York at St. Louis.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

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Boston	40	42	.488	392
Detroit	37	45	.449	389
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